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SUBJECT: SAN JOSE RIO TREATY MEETING--CUBA QUESTION

REF: A) STATE 138495; B) STATE 140136;

FOR ASST. SECY ROGERS AND AMB. MAILLIARD FROM AMBASSADOR

1. PURSUANT REFTTEL A., I CALLED ON FONMIN BORGONOVO JUNE 17 TO ASCERTAIN GOES'S POSITION ON THE CUBA SANCTIONS.

2. BORGONOVO CONFIRMED THAT GOES'S POSITION ON SANCTIONS REMAINS SUBSTANTIALLY AS IT WAS AT QUITO, I.E., IT FAVORS LIFTING OF SANCTIONS BUT STRICTLY IN ADHERENCE TO ESTABLISHED LEGAL REQUIREMENTS. HE STATED HIS OPINION THAT HIS GOVERNMENT WAS ALSO WILLING TO COOPERATE WIOE THE OTHERS IN REACHING AN AGREEMENT PR AN APPROPRIATE FORUM ON A COMPROMISE FORMULA INCORPORATION THE PRINCIPLE OF FREEDOM OF ACTION SO LONG AS THE FORUM AND FORMULA ARE IN COMPLETE ACCORDANCE WITH TREATIES AND AGREEMENTS IN FORCE. HE MADE IT CLEAR THAT GOES COULD NOT ACCEPT THE KIND OF SHORT-CUTS PROPOSED BY MEXICO AT LAST OAS GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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WHICH CONTRAVENE LEGAL REQUIREMENTS. HE ALSO RETTERATED THAT,

WHILE GOES FAVORED LIFTING OF CUBA SANCTIONS, IT DOES NOT INTEND TO REESTABLISH DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH CUBA EVEN IF SANCTIONS ARE REMOVED.

3. GOES DELEGATION TO SAN JOSE MEETING WILL BE HEADED BY ITS PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE TO OAS, AMB. FRANCISCO BETRAND GALINDO, AND WILL INCLUDE DR. SALVADOR J. TRIGUEROS, MINISTER COUNSELOR IN WASHINGTON, AND A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE FONGOV. CAMPBELL

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